



Docket No.: 1785.1005

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Mitsuyuki TANIGUCHI et al.

Serial No. 10/781,635

Group Art Unit: 2862

Confirmation No. 4147

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Examiner: Reena Aurora

For: ROTARY ENCODER

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed September 30, 2005, and having a period for response set to expire on December 30, 2005. A Petition for a two-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to February 30, 2006.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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